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District Court of the United States, District of Maine.

In the matter of SAMUEL B. STONE, JR., Bankrupt, IN BANKRUPTCY.

This is to give notice that a Petition has been presented to said Court, this 8th day of January, by Samuel B. Stone, Jr., of Bangor, a Bankrupt, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts and liabilities provable under the Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said Petition,

It is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same, on the first Monday of March, A. D. 1876, before the Court in Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that the second meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt be held, before Charles Hamlin, Esq., Register, on the 3d day of February, 1876, and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier and the Piscataquis Observer, newspapers printed in said District, once a week for three successive weeks, and once in the Weekly Bangor Courier, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons who may desire to may appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

Clerk of District Court for said District.

A true copy—Attest:

JOHN E. GODFREY, Deputy Clerk.

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Real Estate.

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Lincoln, Feb. 1st, 1876. 3d&w

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June7 tf

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DISSOLUTION.

The copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of G. W. Lord is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by H. Lord at the old stand, who will settle the affairs of the late firm.

HOBART LORD,

GREENLEAF LORD.

Bangor, Feb. 10, 1876 eod3w* feb14

NEW HAMS.

Davis' Celebrated Cincinnati Star Hams the best in the world. First lot of the Season.

Just received by

CHAS. DWINEL.

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WOODBINE COTTAGE,

Kenduskeag.

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E. GARLAND.

nov29

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine.

In the matter of DENNIS MILLER, Bankrupt, in Bankruptcy.

This is to give notice that on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1876, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Dennis Miller, of Bangor, in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, dated February 9th, 1876, that the payment of any debts to and the delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a court of bankruptcy, to be holden at Bankrupt Court Room in Bangor, in said District, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1876, at 10 o'clock A. M.

GEORGE P. SNOW, Deputy U. S. Marshal.

feb10 sun&w10

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Snow & Neally, in the business of Carpenters and Builders, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. Either party is authorized to settle the accounts of the late firm.

JAMES H. SNOW,

FOSTER NEALLY.

CARD.

The business formerly carried on by Snow & Neally will be continued by the subscriber at the old stand. Having just returned from Boston with a new stock of Cheshire Furniture, I am now ready to meet the public for their spring purchasing in the past, and solicit the same in the future.

FOSTER NEALLY.

Bangor, Jan. 4, 1876. 6w

District Court of the United States for the District of Maine.

In the matter of WILLIAM B. McLAUGHLIN, Bankrupt against whom a petition was filed in said Court, January 10th, A. D. 1876

IN BANKRUPTCY

District of Maine, ss.

On reading the petition of William B. McLaughlin, of the County of Penobscot, and State of Maine, in said District, he has been duly adjudged bankrupt, upon his petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at Bangor, in said District, on the twenty fourth day of February, A. D. 1876, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of Charles Hamlin, Esq., in Bankrupt Court Room, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy for said District.

H. S. MARBLE,

U. S. Marshal, as Messenger, for said District.

feb8 cotw&w12

CASSIDY'S CANT DOG

I have now on hand at my shop on

STEAMBOAT WHARF, IN BANGOR,

a large stock of those

Superior Cant Dogs,

which are offered to the trade and at retail at reasonable rates.

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feb8 H. F. & W. G. BURR.

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I have marked down to close those elegant

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Bangor, Jan. 4, 1876.

DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between us, under the name of Bradford, Berry & Co., is hereby dissolved by the withdrawal of Mr Bradford from the firm.

Messrs. Berry & Smith, who will continue the business, will pay all debts against the late firm, and are authorized to collect all demands due the same.

LEMUEL BRADFORD,

BENJAMIN BERRY,

ELISHA M. SMITH.

d&w Jan15

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Administrator's Notice.

The subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed, and has taken upon himself the trust of Administrator with the will annexed, of the estate of

JOHN C WHITNEY, late of Dixmont,

in the County of Penobscot, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs. He therefore requires all persons who are indebted to the estate of said deceased, to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to present the same for settlement to him.

AMOS WHITNEY, Admr

Dixmont, Jan'y 2d, 1876.

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STORE,

16 East Side Main Street,

J. P. TUCKER.

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State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of Probate, November Term, A. D. 1875.

Ruth Carr, named Executrix in certain instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of John B. Carr, late of Bangor, in said County, deceased, having presented the same for Probate,

ORDERED, That said Executrix give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the first Tuesday in January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

JOHN E. GODFREY, Judge.

Attest: AMBROSE G. FLINT, Register.

A true copy of the Petition and order thereon.

Attest: AMBROSE G. FLINT, Register.

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THE SCHOOL MILL TAX.

OPINION OF THE SUPREME COURT AFFIRMING THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE LAW.

The following is the able opinion affirming the constitutionality of the School Mill Tax, in response to an inquiry by the House of Representatives, drawn by Chief Justice Appleton and concurred in by all the other Justices of the Supreme Court of Maine:

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Jan. 26, 1876.

Ordered, That the justices of the Supreme Judicial Court be required to furnish, for the information of this House an answer to the following question: Has the Legislature authority under the constitution of the State to assess a general tax upon the property of the State for the purpose of distribution under "An act to establish the school mill Fund for the support of Common Schools", approved Feb. 27, 1872?

Read and passed.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.

A true copy.

Attest: ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.

BANGOR, Feb 9, 1876.

SIR: To the question proposed by the House of Representatives, we have the honor to answer as follows:

By the constitution of this State, Article IX, part 3, Sec. 1, the Legislature have full power to make and establish all reasonable laws and regulations for the defence and benefit of the people of this State, not repugnant to this constitution, nor to that of the United States."

In the constitution it is declared that "a general diffusion of education is essential to the preservation of the liberties of the people." By its very language, it would seem that the "general diffusion of education" was to be regarded as especially a "benefit" to the people. If so, then the Legislature has "full power" over the subject matter of schools and of education, to make all reasonable laws in reference thereto for the benefit of the people of this State. The power existing, its reasonable exercise, having due regard to the several provisions of the constitution, is subject only to legislative discretion.

"The power of taxation" for the defence and benefit of the people" is limited only by the good sense and sound judgment of the Legislature. If unwisely exercised, the remedy is with the people. The power existing, it is not for the Judicial Department to determine when legitimate taxation ends, and spoliation and excessive taxation begins.

Education being of benefit to the people, and taxation being incidental and essential to its successful promotion, the mill tax, being for educational purposes, must be regarded as constitutional, unless in some other portion of the constitution there be found a clause restricting and forbidding the exercise of money by legislative authority for the purpose of education, other than by limiting the power materially from that now given. Such has been already quoted. The limitation must be upon that section; for the money being raised, there is no where in the constitution any express or implied inhibition of the appropriation of money when raised, to educational purposes.

By Art 8, "to promote this important object—education—the Legislature are authorized and it shall be their duty to require the several towns to make suitable provisions, at their own expense, for the support and maintenance of public schools." But this article is merely directory, not prohibitory.

It imposes duties upon the Legislature. It is affirmative, not negative in its character. The Legislature can not avoid the discharge of this duty. It can not absolve the towns from making at their own expense suitable provision for this primary and indispensible foundation of all good government. The Legislature are by proper enactments to require the towns to make suitable provisions for the support of public schools, and the towns are, at their own expense, to comply with those requirements. Neither can escape from the performance of their several and respective obligations.

But what is making "suitable provision" by the towns, "at their own expense for the support and maintenance of public schools"? By whom is the amount for that purpose to be fixed? Not by the towns, for if left to them, there would be no uniform and definite rule. The "suitable provision," in such a case would be a variable quantity, an indefinite and contingent provision, dependant upon the fluctuating views of the voters, for the majority of the several towns.

It is manifest that a general law on the subject is required. Accordingly from the first institution of the government to the present day, the general control of schools and the determination of what shall be a suitable provision by the towns for their support, has been fixed by legislative enactment. In 1821, by Chap. 117, Sec. 1, towns were required annually to raise and expend for the maintenance or support of schools therein, "a sum of money, including the income of any incorporated school fund not less than forty cents for each inhabitant, the number to be computed according to the next preceding census of the state, by which the representation thereof has been apportioned." In the revision of 1840, Chap. 17, Sec. 6, the amount required was not to be less than forty cents for each inhabitant, the number to be ascertained as in 1821; but this was to be "exclusive of the income of any corporate school fund, or *of any grant from the revenue or funds of the State*, or of any voluntary donation, devise or bequest, or any forfeiture accruing to the use of the town."

In the revision of 1857, Chap. 11, Sec. 5, the amount required was not less than the sum of sixty cents for each inhabitant upon the mode of ascertaining the number of inhabitants, and exclusive of other sources of revenue, as in 1840. In the revision of 1871, Chap. 11, Sec. 5, not less than one dollar for each inhabitant, to be ascertained as in the two preceding revisions, and subject to the exclusion of all other sources of revenue, whether from the revenue or funds of the State, or from any other source whatever. In 1872, the sum for each inhabitant was reduced to eighty cents.

A "suitable provision" must be one general in its character, and having regard to all the people of the State, in the aggregate. A "suitable provision" is not adequate. A sufficient provision must be one adequate to meet the educational demands of the people. It necessarily therefore becomes necessary to supplement what is a suitable provision by adding thereto, what will make it a sufficient one. Have then the Legislature the right to do this? There is no express prohibition to their so doing. The right to so do exists by Art. 4, P. 3, Sec. 1, and so provided in the constitution, as the defense could extend its benefits to the said correspondent.

THE MAINE REPUBLICAN CLUB

is flourishing. Last Saturday evening Mr. Frye delivered a "stirring" campaign speech, which was greeted with applause at every period. His fearless indictment of the White Leaguers of the Southern States, is a telling point in the exposure of the designs of the "White man's party" in those States, and it ought to be put before the people of the country in a thousand papers. Much regret has been expressed by the members of the Club that a complete report of the speech was not taken. The services of a short-hand reporter should have been secured, but was overlooked. A fine speech was expected from Mr F., of course, but the most sanguine of his admirers were taken by surprise. On Wednesday evening next we are to be addressed by Senator Lot M. Morrill. These addresses are becoming a distinguishing feature of the organization. Since the eloquent remarks of Mr Frye, there has been an increased interest, and "a few more of the same sort" will not come amiss.

An effort will be made to obtain a fuller report of these speeches, for the purposes of the campaign. It will not be an easy matter to find a better campaign document than the speech of Mr. Frye.

HAMMOND, THE REVIVALIST,

is in the city, holding daily meetings, and from the accounts we see in the papers, he is raising considerable interest. Thursday evening he addressed himself especially to lawyers, closing his services with a detailed account of the conversion of the late Hon Thomas A. D. Fessenden, of Auburn, Me. Judging from the criticisms passed upon the meetings of Mr. Hammond, it is quite apparent that there is a feeling of reaction among the thinking portion of this community in regard to what some of them term "spasmodic" efforts in behalf of the cause of religion. It is said that earnest opposition comes from some of the most devoted christians of Washington who are opposed to these occasions of extreme measures, and who believe, rather, in the "still small voice."

PERSONAL.

Miss Prentiss, of Bangor, is spending the winter in Washington with Mrs. Senator Hamlin. Hon. D. K. Hobart of Dennysville, U. S. Consul at Windsor, N. S., is in town accompanied by a prominent business man of the latter place.

THE BABCOCK TRIAL

don't turn out very well for the New York Sun. There has been a universal feeling in favor of General B., among all classes, from the first rumors of accusation against him, and his friends are now confident of his honorable acquittal at an early day. Few people can appreciate the trying position in which General Babcock is placed. Just he is in the confidence of the President, and his conviction would bring upon him the additional stigma of a breach of personal friendship. Then he is tried in a time of great popular wrath against anything to which the term "ring" can be applied---whisky ring especially. Further than that, the witnesses against him are, as a class, a lot of self-convicted liars and confirmed members of the very ring with which it is sought to connect General Babcock, their own escape from the penitentiary being to a certain extent contingent upon the success of the prosecution! And lastly, he is tried by a jury of his natural enemies, from difference of position, politics and locality. His acquittal with any evidence at all against him would be simply impossible. The people of Missouri clamor for the sacrifice, and a jury of Democrats are to pass upon the verdict. If General Babcock is not found guilty, it will be an evidence that by no possible system of law or lawyer, could he be convicted.

"DEMOCRATIC REFORM."

Nearly three of the months of the session has gone by, and less than a dozen acts of Congress have been completed and received the signature of the President. Where is the never been a case of so great inaction by any previous Congress. It is *Democratic reform*.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER

COX AS SPEAKER—A SILLY SUN REPORT—THE PRESIDENT'S SENSELESS—RAINS—LAMPASH CLUB—WIDE AWAKE—HAMMOND'S REVIVAL—DISCOURAGEMENT—ACCUMULATED INACTION OF THE DEMOCRATIC HOUSE.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18, 1876.

Another case of "mixed things" in the House of Representatives. Mr. Kerr's failing health has forced him to vacate the chair for a few days in order to obtain medical advice, and the House has been obliged to elect a Speaker *pro tem.* This interesting exercise resulted in the election of Sam Cox to the chair, and the accumulation of seven pages of Congressional Record, in order to settle the question whether or not the Speaker *pro tem.* should take the speaker's oath as prescribed by law. The question was decided in the negative by a vote of yeas 73, nays 170. Messrs. Burleigh and Frye of the Maine delegation voted in the affirmative and Messrs. Blaine and Hale in the negative, while the name of Mr. Plaisted appears in the list of those not voting." The open question now is, suppose Mr. Kerr should die before his return to the chair, who would be speaker,---would it be Mr. Cox or would another election be necessary? Barclay's digest was referred to, to settle the question, but Barclay himself was not there, hence the lengthy discussion. A few points of "regulations" and "precedents" from "old man Barclay" would have taken them over the shoals, with less stranding of their craft.

SMALL BUSINESS OF A SUN REPORTER.

As an indication of the straits to which the independent journalists are put, the recent reports of telegraphic correspondence between the office of the Secretary of the Senate and the President, asking the name of "the boy" who delivered a certain message, are significant. That the original report in the New York *Sun* is untrue, may be seen from the following copies of the original telegrams between the minute clerk of the Senate and the proper official at the White House. The message in question was delivered in due form, but the Secretary by whose hand it came, left before Mr. Spencer, the minute clerk, could ascertain his name; and in the pressure of business it was overlooked until the making up of the Journal next morning. The following correspondence then occurred:

To O. L. Pruden, Executive Clerk, Executive Mansion:

What was the Secretary's name who brought to the Senate yesterday, a message from the President?

WILLIAM E. SPENCER."

Reply:

William E. Spencer, Secretary's Office, Capitol:

His name is U. S. Grant, Jr.

O. L. PRUDEN."

The original statement in the *Sun* was intended as a slur on the President; and the statement that Mr. Spencer's despatch was to the President direct, indicated a ridiculous familiarity on the part of the capitol employes that does not, and cannot exist. That the reports in the *Sun* was false, is proved by the above copy of despatches. That the correspondent who sent it knew that it was false is also certain, as he saw the reply of Mr. Pruden in the hands of Mr. Spencer at the time it was received. It would be a partial proposition against such foolish statements, if some Reform Club

STATE NEWS.

Aroostook.

On Wednesday morning Feb 9th the large store owned and recently occupied by C. F. Collins of Van Buren, was totally destroyed with a large stable and out-buildings. The fire is supposed to have taken from a defective chimney. Every thing of value in the store was saved. It was insured for $2,000.

Cumberland.

J. W. Crawford of Brunswick has recently made a crayon drawing of the head of the late Dr. George E. Adams, from photographs. The likeness, thinks the *Telegraph*, is most admirable, and the drawing lifelike.

Franklin.

Josiah Mayo of Freeman, aged 81 years, fell from a high scaffold and broke his collar bone, and was severely injured in other respects. Recovery is doubtful.

Kennebec.

Thursday night an inmate of the Insane Hospital named Butters of Exeter, died quite suddenly of epilepsy.

The Kennebec *Journal* says that the faculty of Colby University announce that they are unable to state definitely, when a new Ryan museum will be erected to replace the one burnt last term, but hope to rebuild during the coming summer. A plan of the building which is to be built, as soon as the necessary amount is raised, has been shown to the students. It will be very commodious, being 60x100 feet and 18 feet posts.

Lincoln.

W. H. Folger, an itinerant whip vender, got into an altercation with a boy named George Linscott at Damariscotta, when the latter drew a knife and stabbed him twice in the left side, inflicting deep flesh wounds.

William Nash, an inmate of the Waldoboro poor-house, is about to receive a pension from the government, amounting to some twelve hundred dollars. Mr. Nash lost a son in the army.

The ice business is good this winter at Parker's Head, between twenty and thirty vessels having loaded there, taking about 13,000 tons. Frequently four or five vessels are there at a time. The ice is cut and shipped direct from the ponds.

The throat distemper has been causing quite a panic at Phipsburg, one family losing three children out of four attacked by it.

Oxford.

The *Democrat* says that there has been but one pauper in Hanover since its incorporation in 1743, and that one was aided only to a small amount.

James Gilday, the news boy on the G. T. R. was arrested in Portland, for an assault upon Hezekiah P. Stetson of West Paris, was committed to jail on Monday. On Wednesday he was arraigned before Trial Justice Wright, and fined $1.00, and half costs, in non-payment of which he was re-committed.

The *Democrat* says that a daughter of Mr. John Pugsley of South Lebanon, was by mistake given morphine in place of quinine, and died in three hours and a half.

A colored man by the name of Ben Hatch, who was paying active court to a fourteen years old girl in South Lebanon, was, while sleighing his charmer home from prayer meeting, insulted about by four young men who disbelieve in miscegenation. He brought suit against them, but the matter was amicably adjusted.

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HIRAM HAYES,

Secretary of Trustees.

Corinth, Feb. 1, 1876. 3w

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TUESDAY, FEB 22, 1876

Republican National Convention, 1876.

The Republican National Convention for the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President of the United States will be held in the City of [illegible] ATLANTIC, on WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF JUNE, 1876, at 12 o'clock M., and will be composed of delegates from each State and Territory, equal to the number of its Senators and Representatives in Congress, and of two delegates from the District of Columbia, and two additional delegates from each Territory, and the several States, Territories and the District of Columbia are entitled to the following number of delegates in the Convention, to wit:

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Resolved, That the Republican electors of the several States and Territories be requested to choose at the same time and in the same manner as the delegates to the State Convention are chosen, two Delegates at Large to the National Convention, and that the Republican State Committee of each State and Territory be requested to call the State Convention to assemble at the same time and place appointed for the meeting of the Congressional Conventions.

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Whig and Courier.

TUESDAY, FEB. 22, 1876.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

THE STATE CAPITAL.

Legislative Work Monday—Hastening to Adjourn—The Military Appropriation—The School Mill Tax—The Insurance Tax—Grades of Crime, and Punishment—The Abolition of the Death Penalty—The Fish Commissioners—Various Matters—Matters Finally Passed.

[BY THE DISPATCH TO WHIG AND COURIER.]

AUGUSTA, Feb. 21. The doings of the legislature to-day may be disposed of as noted below. The House held sessions both forenoon and afternoon, while the Senate only held a session in the afternoon. A large amount of business was disposed of finally, and the rush to clear the tables with a view to final adjournment on Wednesday, has commenced in good earnest. There are now but few important matters to be acted upon.

Military Appropriation.

The resolve appropriating $10,000 for the uniforming of the militia and a general muster and $3,000 more for the purpose of tents and camp equipage, which had already passed the Senate, was taken up in the House, when Mr. Martin of Camden, moved its indefinite postponement. This was opposed by Messrs. Cleaves of Portland, Tilden of Castine, Haynes of Augusta, Close of Biddeford and Anderson of Portland, who advocated the resolve. Messrs. Hussey (Quaker) Woodman and Talbot opposed the resolve. Porter of Burlington, moved to amend so much as to make the appropriation, provided that no tender damage is done by any person to person or property by reason of disorderly conduct while passing to and from places of encampment, be paid from the appropriation. Powers of Houlton, opposed the amendment, which was rejected. An attempt was made to cut down the appropriation to $8,000, which was lost. The yeas and nays were then taken which resulted in the motion to indefinitely postpone, being negatived by a vote of 71 to 11. The resolve was then passed to be engrossed. The Bangor representatives voted for the resolve, with the exception of Bass, who was not in his seat.

School Mill Tax.

The Governor has transmitted to the House the opinion of the Supreme Court on the Constitutionality of the school mill tax.

The full text of the opinion as drawn by Chief Justice Appleton is published on the first page this morning.—ED.]

Municipal Indebtedness.

The bill restricting municipal indebtedness was discussed at length in the House this afternoon. Bass of Bangor fought for the measure like a Trojan and his remarks excited the liveliest applause. The House being disposed to hurry him, the bill was referred to the next legislature.

Graduation of Crime.

A bill was presented providing for the graduation of punishment for crime under the law abolishing the death penalty. It gives twenty years imprisonment to those sentenced for murder in the first degree instead of imprisonment for life and reduces the punishment for less offences. It was ordered printed.

The Abolition of the Death Penalty

A bill was also introduced in the House and passed providing that the law abolishing the death penalty shall not apply to offences committed before it goes into effect which is in thirty days from the adjournment of the Legislature. The law abolishing the death penalty was signed by the Governor this afternoon.

The Fish Commission.

A lengthy discussion took place in the House over the bill to abolish the office of fish commissioner. Mr. Nealley of Bangor opposed the abolition. The House resumed by a vote of 79 to 59 to indefinitely postpone. The bill was then amended by providing that the office shall terminate Feb. 15, 1877. It was then passed.

Various Matters.

The amendment to the constitution in regard to bribery at elections was read and assigned for to-morrow.

The Governor has been requested to lay before the House a statement of the salaries and compensation of all officers and employes in the Insane Hospital, annually paid within the last five years, giving the name of each officer and employe, and the amount annually paid to each respectively.

An attempt was made in the Senate to amend the bill levying a two per cent tax on Insurance Companies by reducing it to one per cent. It failed and the bill passed in concurrence.

The Senate refused to adopt the House amendment giving the Bath Military Asylum five thousand dollars and voted eight thousand dollars.

Finally Passed.

The following having passed both branches have been sent to the Governor for his approval.

An act to amend chap. 65 of the revised statutes relating to the distribution of estate of persons deceased out of the State; an act additional to chap. 69 of the revised statutes, relating to the estates of deceased partners; an act to incorporate the town of Waldo in the county of Washington; an act to amend sec. 39, chap. 63, of the revised statutes, relating to fees; an act to provide further remedies for the collection of State tax upon corporations; an act to amend chap. 262 of the laws of 1874, relating to the close time for land-locked salmon, togue or trout in the St. Croix river and its tributaries; an act to amend sec. 7, chap. 276 of the public laws of 1874, relating to the commitment of insane persons; resolve in favor of John Ryan; resolve relating to bounty on wild animals; resolve in aid of building bridge over Gagnon stream in the town of Frenchville; resolve in aid of road in Frenchville; an act to amend chap. 37 of the public laws of 1873 relating to foreclosures of mortgages on real estate; an act to incorporate the Maine General Homœopathic Hospital; an act additional to chap. 4, of the revised statutes, relating to elections; an act to amend chap. 219, sec. 3, of the public laws relating to the militia; an act to amend sections 11 and 15 of chap. 59, of the revised statutes, relating to solemnization of marriage; an act to amend chap. 61 of the revised statutes in relation to the rights of married women; an act to amend sec. 14 chap. 123 of the revised statutes relating to the reform school; an act for the protection of land-locked salmon, trout and bass; resolve in favor of the State reform school; resolve laying a tax on the several counties in the State; resolve in favor of Chapman Plantation; resolve in favor of the joint standing committee on the State Prison; resolve in favor of Joseph Granger; resolve providing for the payment of bounties on wild animals; an act to abolish the death penalty and regulate the manner of applying for pardons.

FROM GARDINER.

Suicide.

GARDINER, Feb. 21. Joseph Orff of this city, committed suicide yesterday by hanging himself. Insanity seems to be hereditary in his family, a brother and another relative having perished by their own hands. Mr. Orff leaves a wife and three children.

FROM BIDDEFORD.

Woolen Mill Burned.

BIDDEFORD, Feb. 21. The rumor of the burning of the Hall and Mill at Limerick was incorrect. It was the Ossipee woolen mill in Waterboro, owned by J. Holland which was totally destroyed Saturday. Loss will reach $5000. A large amount of stock was saved. Insurance $16,500.

WATERVILLE.

Farm Buildings Burned.

WATERVILLE, Feb. 21. The farm buildings of C. D. Cummings, West Waterville, were destroyed by fire Saturday night; loss about $1000; insured $1200.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

FORTY-FOURTH CONGRESS---First Session.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.

Several bills and petitions were presented and referred, including many for the repeal of the Bankrupt law.

A message was received from the House announcing the passage of the concurrent resolution by that body, declaring the 22d of February of the present year a legal holiday.

Mr. Hamlin asked for an immediate consideration of the resolution.

Mr. Conkling said he did not object to its passage, but he desired to say that the time would come if it had not already, when Congress should declare the birthday of Abraham Lincoln a legal holiday. The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the concurrent resolution, and it was agreed to.

Mr. Allison, from the Committee of Resolutions with amendments, the House bill making appropriations for the support of the Military Academy for the year ending June 30, 1876. Placed on the calendar.

Mr. Morrill of Vt., submitted a resolution instructing the Committee on Library to inquire as to the expediency of making an appropriation of $1,000 annually for the library of the Treasury Department. Agreed to.

The bill for the sale of timber lands in California, Oregon and the territories was amended and passed.

The House bill making an appropriation to pay fourteen crippled and disabled Union soldiers employed in the House of Representatives from the 6th of December, 1875, to the 30th of June, 1876. Passed.

Mr. Morrill of Maine, from the Conference Committee on a joint resolution to pay the interest on the 3-65 District of Columbia bonds, made a report which was read. After a discussion and the rejection of various dilatory motions, the report was concurred in. Yeas 31; nays 25.

The Senate went into Executive session and at 5:30 o'clock adjourned until Wednesday.

House.

A large number of bills were presented and referred; also resolution of the Maine Legislature against compulsory pilotage.

Mr. Lord of New York, offered a resolution directing the Attorney-General to report by what authority and for what purpose he recently gave instructions to his subordinates in contravention of the long established rule relating to the testimony of accomplices in criminal actions. Adopted.

The House proceeded to vote on the bill to reorganize the Judiciary, and it passed by yeas 143, nays 102.

A mass of bills, resolves, etc., were reported and variously disposed of, after which Mr. Springer of Illinois, made a personal explanation in reference to an amendment moved by him to the Centennial appropriation bill when it was before the House, and considerable discussion ensued. After some confusion, arising from a fruitless effort on the part of Mr. Holman of Ind., to be recognized and to submit a motion, the House at 4.30 adjourned till Wednesday.

CHARLOTTE CUSHMAN.

FUNERAL SERVICES IN BOSTON.

An Immense Throng of People.

Viewing the Remains in the Parker House.

BOSTON, Feb., 21st. The remains of Charlotte Cushman lay in state at the rooms lately occupied by the deceased at the Parker House, and from 10 to 12 o'clock a continuous stream of visitors passed in and out to view the remains. Long before the hour assigned for the funeral service, School street in front of the Parker House was thronged with people, the crowd extending up to Tremont-st. and about King's Chapel, where the street was almost impassible. By 11 o'clock every available seat or standing place in the church was occupied, and many entitled to admission were unable to force their way in through the crowd. Members of the several theatrical companies of the city were in attendance in large numbers, and many of the best people of the city. At 12 M, the remains were borne from the hotel and placed in the hearse at the front entrance, King's Chapel being nearly opposite. No carriages were in attendance.

The Floral Offerings and the Services.

The pall bearers and immediate family friends escorted the remains to the church on foot. The casket was deposited in front of the altar and beautiful floral offerings placed upon it. The interior of the Chapel presented a spectacle of rare beauty. The floral offerings of Clara Louise Kellogg, Lawrence, Barritt, Jarrett, Palmer and others filled all the available space in and around the chancel. The simple burial services of the church was conducted by Rev. H. W. Foote. Gov. Rice and other distinguished men were present. It was the intention of Jarrett and Palmer to charter two palace cars for the purpose of bringing on the company of Booth's theatre with other prominent actors and principal managers. Hind Sophia had been chosen for the obsequies this design would have been carried out. The information of the selection of Monday created a general disappointment. After the services a long line of carriages followed the remains from the chapel to Mount Auburn where they find their final resting place.

The Trial of General Babcock.

Continuation of Mr. Storrs' Argument.

The Dispatches Between Joyce and Babcock relative to Maguire's Appointment.

ST. LOUIS, Feb 21. Emery A. Storrs, of Babcock's counsel, resumed his address to the jury this morning. He said at the close of the discussion Saturday afternoon I had finished as I supposed the dispatches between Joyce and Babcock relative to a successor of C. W. Ford. It seemed to me I had demonstrated that Maguire's appointment was the result of a most honorable motive. From the highest principles of justice, the President consulted the wishes of Ford's bondsmen, who were bound to the extent of thousands of dollars for the conduct of that officer. All this correspondence passed in October, 1873. From that time down to March, 1874, there was a period of dead silence between Gen. Babcock and Joyce and McDonald.

I come now to the next despatch in the order of time from Joyce to Babcock in March, 1874: "Start for San Francisco to-morrow night. Make D. call off his scandal hounds that only blacken the memory of Ford and friends.—Business."

Douglass himself tells you, in his testimony that there was no direct suspicion against Joyce, but the Revenue agent sent out here from time to time brought back such stories of excessive hospitality that the Commissioner felt the necessity of transferring him for the time being to another sphere of usefulness. Joyce attempted to visit Washington when he received the order, but was thwarted. Had Gen. Babcock then been a member of the conspiracy his whole course would have been called in use to prevent the San Francisco trip, for at least to secure Joyce's desired visit to Washington? Gen. Babcock was not applied to, and that is the best proof of his innocence and ignorance of any ring at this time. Referring directly to the scandal hound, despatch "Mr. Storrs asked who was Ford, and in reply quoted the President's deposition, in which the latter referred to his life-long friendship with Ford, and says that for several years before Ford's death, he was the receptacle of hundreds of thousands of dollars which he disbursed, and of which so implicit was his confidence that the President kept no account. Said Mr. Storrs, the tooth of scandal may have bitten Ford through and through, but the President still maintained that same confidence in his old friend, which existed in New York State 25 years ago."

THE ADVISORY COUNCIL.

IN SECRET SESSION.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Moulton and Bowen Again Make Charges.

BROOKLYN, Feb. 21. The Advisory Council was called to-day at 2 o'clock in secret session, according to the adjournment of Saturday. Notwithstanding the fact that several of the delegates went home on Saturday evening, all, or nearly all of them were present. A large number of persons endeavored to secure admission to the session, but were unsuccessful. A rule having been made that every delegate should exhibit his ticket before entering. The Council will probably meet during the same hours as when in open session.

Moulton writes a Letter:

Moulton has sent a letter to Dr. Bacon, the Moderator, in which he stated that he can prove Henry Ward Beecher guilty of adultery and perjury by oral and documentary evidence." Bowen has also written a statement that Mr. Beecher's remarks in the council in reference to him and his charges are false. He says he is not afraid to charge Beecher with moral turpitude to his face.

The Committee Reports.

The five first Committees are denied a full report and Committee number six asked an extension of time which was granted. The Committee to which was referred ex-Deacon West's communication and other matters of like character asked that their time be extended, as their report was not quite ready. The Committee reports were received with evident satisfaction as a murmur of approval ran through the house as they were read.

The Second Question.

The committee to which was referred the second question in the letter inclosive, that relating to the dropping of members from the roll, presented a majority and a minority report, and it is thought that they will be the subject of a long and heated discussion, as the house is said to be divided in regard to the question which is as follows: "Is this rule or in those practices, is this church acting inconsistently with the word of God, or the principles of Christian justice.

Bowen's and Moulton's Letters.

No information could be gleaned in regard to Mr. Bowen's communication and the members of the Council professed to be in ignorance of Frank Moulton's letter offering to produce proof of Mr. Beecher's guilt. If they were received by the moderator, it is probable that he gave them into the hands of the Business Committee without presenting them to the Council according to the rules adopted in open session.

NEW YORK CITY.

Violation of the Excise Law.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21. The barkeepers and proprietors of the Atlantic Garden were arrested yesterday and the sale of lager beer stopped by the police. About a dozen other liquor dealers were also arrested for violation of the excise law.

Washington's Birthday.

To-morrow is a legal holiday here. At Trinity church a Te Deuma and other services in honor of the day will be held and the chimes will ring patriotic tunes for an hour, both at Trinity and Grace churches in this city and at St. Ann's in Brooklyn.

NEW YORK STATE.

Tin-ware Factory Burned.

New York, Feb. 21. Lathrop's tin-ware factory at Woodall Haven, L. I., with machinery and outbuildings, was burned this morning. Loss $30,000. Nearly 200 employes are thrown out of work.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21. Money easy at 2@4 per cent.

Gold closed at 114.

Sterling Exchange—Easier—closed at 480 for demand and 483 for sixty days.

Government Securities closed at the following quotations:

U. S. 6's, reg., ... 118½
" " ... coup. Jan 1 & July 1 ... 119
" " ... reg. May 1 & Nov 1 ... 118
" " ... coup. May 1 & Nov 1 ... 119
" " ... reg. Jan 1 & July 1 ... 119
" " ... coup. Jan 1 & July 1 ... 119½
10-40's, 5 per cents (coup. Mar 1 & Sept 1) ... 111
currency 6's, ... 120½

[Above quotations include the accrued interest.

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21. Cotton is quiet—sales 1353 bales—Middlings uplands, 12 12-16c; New Orleans, 12 1-16c.

FLOUR is dull—sales 10,700 bbls—Superfine and Western and State, 4.25@5.00; Ohio, 4.90@6.75; white wheat western, 5.30@6.75; South-ern, 4.90@6.75.

WHEAT—unsettled—sales 126,000 bushels—No. 2 Milwaukee, 1.24@1.25; No. 1 spring, 1.26@1.26.

CORN is firmer—sales 60,000 bushels—50@51c for no grade mixed; 54@54½ for graded do; 53@54½ for ungraded new western mixed.

OATS dull—sales 21,000 bushels—Mixed Western and State, 40@48; white western and state, 45@50.

COFFEE—dull at 14@16.

SUGAR is quiet—Sales to good Refining, 7½@7¾. Granulated 10½.

BEEF is quiet.

PORK heavy—new mess, 22 50.

PETROLEUM steady—Crude, 8, refined, 13½.

ROSIN is steady at 1 80@1 85.

BUTTER Tubs 19@24c.

LARD, steady—prime steam, 12½.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL quiet—Cotton, sail, 11-32d; steam, 9-32d. Corn, steam, 7½d. Wheat, steam, 9d.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21. Flour dull.

Wheat lower—No. 2 Spring, 1.03½@1.04; 1.06 March.

Corn lower—No. 2 mixed, 42½ spot, 43½ May.

OATS firm—No. 2, 31½@32; 32½ March.

BARLEY dull at 91 spot.

Pork dull and unchanged.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

LIPPINCOTT'S MAGAZINE. The March number of this popular magazine opens with a continuation of the valuable series of papers on The Century—its Fruits and its Festival, and treats of Past Expositions, showing the origin and growth of Exhibitions in the past. The article in question embraces a number of engravings of Exhibition Buildings, including those of Paris and Vienna. Sketches of India, handsomely illustrated, are continued, with increasing interest. Rebecca Harding Davis contributes a striking description of our Life-Saving Stations, in which she vividly pictures the dangers of our coasts, and the valuable service performed by the brave men employed by the Government to save life and property from the wrecks that occur with such frequency. The Eutaw Flag, by Robert Wilson, is a highly interesting story of the Revolution, which takes its title from that old relic of our war for Independence, the flag borne by Col. Wm. Washington's corps, and now preserved by the Washington Light Infantry of Charleston. Lady Blanche Murphy's article on Convent Life and Work, describes the work performed by the Nuns and Sisters of Charity. The serial, The Atonement of Leam Dundas, by Mrs. E. Lynn Linton, is continued, and deepens in interest. The second of Letters from South Africa, by Lady Barker, gives an entertaining account of a voyage along a portion of the coast of Africa and visit to the town on the robin. The Songs of Mira Schaffy, by Abbet Forestier, and Charles Kingsley's Reminiscences are highly attractive papers, especially the latter, by Ellis Yarnall, in which he describes an interesting personal interview with Mr. Kingsley. The foregoing, with the usual Monthly Gossip, and Notices of New Books, comprise the contents of a very excellent number. J. B. Lippincott & Co., Publishers, Philadelphia, Pa.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Runaway last evening.

Washington's birth-day.

Dance at Kenduskeag this evening.

Mr. O. S. Ricker advertises a lump shinney, that is proof against breaking.

Mrs. Powers will not open a boarding house at Islesboro' the coming summer.

We are informed that the Ladies' Crusade propose to have a Centennial supper Friday March 3d.

An interesting wrestling match occurred last evening. For further particulars visit the grave of the conquered.

Several of our young ladies and gentlemen took a leap year ride to Orono last evening. A good time was the result.

The Sewing Circle in aid of the Home for Aged Women will meet this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. G. W. Merrill, on French street.

In our up-river news yesterday, we stated liquor was seized from a man named Minhoe; it was found in his barn, but belonged to Frank Pennell. Mr. Minhoe is not accountable for its being there.

On the first page this morning will be found the opinion of the full court on the constitutionality of the school mill tax, also a letter from our Washington correspondent.

G. H. Morrill, the young man who sings with the amateur minstrels, has been invited to sing in Boston next September, with Maggie Mitchell. He has not decided to accept the offer as yet.

To-day being a legal holiday, the Post Office deliveries will only be open from 8.30 to 9.30 in the morning, and the usual time after the evening mail. Carriers will make collections, but no deliveries.

There has been a large sale of tickets to the Amateur Minstrels' entertainment in St. John. The excursionists who leave this morning will have a most enjoyable time, for St. John people know how to entertain.

NO PAPER TO-MORROW. In common with the other morning dailies of the State, we afford our employes an opportunity to observe this legal holiday in honor of WASHINGTON'S birth, and shall issue no paper to-morrow. The office will be open until 11 A.M., to-day for the delivery of papers, etc.

BOWDOIN ALUMNI. The alumni of Bowdoin College of this place and vicinity will hold a re-union at the Bangor House next Friday evening. A fine supper will be served by Mr. Shaw the first of the evening. A large number of the alumni of this city will be present, also many from neighboring towns.

The Amateur Minstrels have paid fifty dollars to Mr Snow, Collector of the Fuel Society. This is part of the proceeds of their entertainments in this place. The collectors desire us to state that they are much in need of funds, and to express the hope that our citizens will generously subscribe to the Society.

The large opening sale of tickets to the Bangor Family Entertainment yesterday afternoon, was very flattering to the company. The Boston *Folio* speaks in high terms of almost every individual in the company. The company give an entertainment which none should miss who want an evening of first-class amusement.

SKIFF AND GAYLORD'S MINSTRELS will appear in this city on Wednesday evening, and judging from the reputation they have won they will give a good variety entertainment, and any who desire to enjoy a good laugh, see good clog dancing and excellent gymnastics are recommended to patronize the troupe to-morrow evening.

TEMPERANCE IN WINTERPORT. Members of the Bangor Reform Club and Ladies' Crusade visited Winterport last Sunday and their efforts to retrieve that place from intemperance were very successful. One hundred and forty of the citizens signed the pledge. It was voted to at once form a Woman's Temperance Crusade and Reform Club. The ministers and influential citizens are foremost in the work to redeem their beautiful village from the ravages of intemperance. The churches gave up the regular services and united in the Orthodox church, the meeting afternoon and evening being conducted by members of the Bangor Reform Club and Ladies' Crusade.

THE CENTENNIAL PARTY. It having been suggested that a number of ladies who would otherwise appear in costumes of "the olden time" at the Centennial party, might be restrained by a fear lest it conflict with the general design of the entertainment, we would state that while the lady managers have not intended to make it specifically a fancy dress party, they will be very glad to have any ladies appear in Centennial Costume who are so disposed, and would welcome the contribution of such an interesting feature to the occasion. We are informed that there are some very handsome costumes of "our great-grandmothers' days" in this city, and shall be pleased to see them displayed on the evening of the 22d.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT. Yesterday afternoon, as George W. Smith, Esq., was standing by the side of the road in Brewer, near the Brick Yard of his Company, a horse driven quite rapidly along the road, slided suddenly at sight of a load of ice and struck Mr. Smith, knocking him down and rendering him temporarily unconscious. He was quite severely cut in the head, probably by the shaft of the sleigh, and narrowly escaped fatal injuries. The gentleman whose horse was the unfortunate cause of the accident, immediately brought Mr. Smith to his residence at the Penobscot Exchange, where he was attended by a physician. We are glad to learn that his injuries, although severe, are not likely to prove of a permanent character.

B. A. B. A. The amateur actors met last evening and organized a dramatic club. The following is the preamble of the by-laws under which the association is formed: "We, the undersigned, desirous of establishing in our city a permanent organization, the object of which shall be the promotion of the Dramatic Art, the cultivation and encouragement of our 'Home talent,' and the presentation to the public of such entertainments as are best calculated to please, hereby adopt the name and declare ourselves to be the 'Bangor Amateur Dramatic Association.'" The following are the officers: Victor Brett, President; F. A. Owen, Stage Manager; D. F. Kelleher, Assistant Stage Manager and Treasurer; J. L. Woodenson, Business Agent; Asa Whittier, Property Man.

FROM HAMPDEN. A dramatic exhibition was given by the scholars of the Hampden Corner District, at the Town Hall, on Friday evening last. A large number from Bangor and Brewer were present. The exhibition was a grand success and very creditable to the amateur performers engaged in it. After defraying the expenses of the entertainment, (the excellent supper having been gratuitously supplied by the ladies of the town,) the sum of $40 remained, which was presented by his pupils to Dr. C. F. Thomas, teacher of the winter school, as a token of their esteem and appreciation. The school has been a very pleasant and profitable one, and Dr. Thomas leaves the place for his new field of labor as a practicing physician in Brewer, with the good wishes of all for his future success and usefulness.

FROM EAST CORINTH. Our correspondent from East Corinth sends us the following: The union prayer meetings that have been held here ever since the week of prayer, under the direction of Revs. Gurney, Pitts and Bragdon, and which have been productive of such a powerful religious interest among all classes in this village, are to be continued indefinitely. The interest awakened by these meetings seems to be extending into other parts of our town, and has led Mr. Bragdon to commence a series of meetings at West Corinth, which are well attended and promise the best results.——The Kenduskeag Baptist Quarterly Conference, which was to meet there last Tuesday and continue through Wednesday, owing to the snow-storm did not meet until Wednesday, and the traveling being so bad the attendance from out of town was quite small. The services were interesting and profitable.——Mr. John F. Stevens, of the Bangor Reform Club, will speak on the subject of temperance at the Methodist church Wednesday evening next.

MAINE IN THE BROOKLYN COUNCIL.—At the opening of the Brooklyn Council on Friday evening, at which ex-Gov. Dingley of Lewiston, was elected Moderator, prayer was offered by Rev. S. P. Fay, of this city. The attendance was larger that evening than on any other previous session. The doors were closed at 7 o'clock, there being no room for more. The members on committees from Maine are Rev. J. P. Warren, D. D., Editor of the Mirror, Lewiston, on Business Committee, and also on the sixth committee, to whom was referred the question of the forfeiture of Plymouth Church to the confidence and fellowship of Congregational churches. Rev. D. S. Talcott, D. D., of Bangor Seminary, is chairman of the committee on the first question in reference to the manner of dismission of members. Rev. L. I. Pabke, D. D., of Bangor Seminary, is on the committee of the third question, relating to absent members. Rev. G. W. Field, D. D., of this city, is on the committee on the fifth question, relating to the proposed mutual council to be called by Plymouth Church and Mrs. Moulton. Mr. Fessenden, of Connecticut, whose question to Mr. Beecher in reference to his relation to Dr. Storrs, which created much interest in the Council at Brooklyn, and which Mr. Beecher gladly and fully answered, is a native of Maine, a graduate of Bangor Seminary, and once pastor of the Congregational church in Rockland. He was a brother of Hon. Wm. Pitt Fessenden.

City Affairs.

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The following is a summary of the business transacted at a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen yesterday afternoon:

The resolve for the acceptance of the provisions of an act to amend and extend the charter of the Bangor Water Power Co., was accepted and ordered sent down for concurrence.

The petition of Charles T. Phillips and ten others was presented asking to have inserted in the warrant for calling the next annual meeting the question, "Will the citizens of Bangor adopt the act of the Legislature relative to the amendment of an act entitled an act for supplying the city of Bangor with water?" the warrant to contain the bill printed in full as passed by the Legislature. The petition was accepted and ordered on file.

The following act was read. An act additional to chapter IV of the Revised Statutes relating to elections, which provides that the Aldermen shall be in open session on each of not less than five secular days preceding the day of election, to receive evidence of the qualifications of voters, not on the list. The above was ordered to be placed on file, and the Clerk was directed to give notice of the same in the warrant.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

FEBRUARY (CRIMINAL) TERM.

HON. JOHN A. PETERS, Justice Presiding.
JASPER HUTCHINGS, ESQ., Co. Atty.
EZRA C. BRETT, ESQ., Clerk.
REED SMITH, ESQ., Stenographer.

TUESDAY, Feb. 21, 1876.

In the Godfrey case Judge Peters delivered his charge to the jury when the court came in this morning. An abstract of the charge will be found on the second page.

The jury retired and after being out about seven hours they reported that they were unable to agree and were discharged. They were evenly divided.

John Daily retracted his plea of not guilty of the larceny of a cape, etc., from the high school house, and plead guilty. He was then sentenced to six months labor in the county jail and workshop.

Sewall Hancock, indicted for larceny of a team from Wheelden & Hooper's stable, told a straight story and was discharged.

In the case of State vs. Patrick Towle, indicted for selling liquor, the counsel for the defendant Messrs. Appleton and Varney, filed a motion to quash the indictment on the ground that the writs of *venire facias* by which the Grand Jurors were drawn were not under the Seal of the Court. The Judge suggested whether or no they had better not file a plea in abatement instead of a motion to quash the indictment, but the matter would be duly considered and a decision rendered in a short time.

The above is a test case, and if the motion is admitted one hundred and twenty-five indictments will meet the fate of that one. The result will be that the cases will go over till the August term. Considerable excitement prevailed among legal circles during the entire afternoon, and the result is looked for with much interest. It is but just to state that the point raised by the defence involves no reflection upon the manner in which the County Attorney has discharged his duty in the premises.

The Handel Concert.

A number of our worthy citizens found their way to City Hall last evening to listen to the second of the Handel Concerts. The association are evidently making very good and satisfactory improvement under their conductor Prof. Wichtendahl.

The choruses by the association were well rendered and were received with rounds of applause. Trio, "Deep in this poor heart," by Mrs. Shaw and Messrs. Holden and Farrington, was duly sung and fully appreciated. Miss Chapman then sung "La Primavera" with excellent effect, and an encore was her reward, to which she responded to the evident gratification of all her listeners. The duet by Messrs. Williams and Coffey was excellent. The opera without words by De Beriot, was played with a great deal of taste by Mrs. Jewell on the piano, Mr. McQuown on the violin and Mr. Wichtendahl on the cello. The players seemed to fully appreciate this beautiful piece, and they executed it with that accuracy, skill and fine expression, which are their distinguishing musical characteristics. Mrs. Gardner's song was highly enjoyed and was deemed worthy of a very hearty encore, to which she responded with the utmost good will. "The Marvellous Work" from the creation, by Mrs. Crowell and the association, was very nicely executed, although Mrs. Crowell was prevented from doing full justice to herself by a severe cold. Miss Simonton played a piano solo, Mazurka De Concert, by Wehner. She has a delicate touch and is a skillful player. Mr. Haynes was not able to be present, and his song, "Parting," composed by Mr. Wichtendahl was omitted. "O! My maid is fairer still" was nicely sung by Miss Blaisdell. In response to a hearty encore she sang a pretty selection with much taste. The Beethoven Quartette are always welcome, and their selection "Sleep Gentle Lady," was listened to with much pleasure. They sang a beautiful piece in answer to an encore. Number twelve on the programme, Theme and variations, arranged and played by Mr. Wichtendahl, was really a fine piece of composition, and was very nicely played. "I'll follow thee" was rendered with remarkable sweetness and power by Mrs. Shaw. Mr. Coffey, a stranger in Bangor musical circles, made a fine impression, last evening, with his rich and full bass voice. His song was entitled "Down deep within the cellar," and an encore brought out "Rocked in the cradle of the deep."

Mrs. Jewell accompanist, performed her duty with admirable taste and skill.

The concert was a great improvement on the last, and all who attended were highly pleased at being so nicely entertained.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES.

The temperance revival at Portsmouth, N. H., is rapidly increasing, and already the vendors of spirits bitterly complain of the falling off in their receipts.

Work on the Boston Iron Works at Paterson, N. J., was stopped Saturday, and the mill mills are closed at the end of next month. A large number of workmen are thrown out of employment.

A St. Louis special says the Babcock case will not get to the jury before Wednesday evening.

Charlotte Cushman's estate is valued at $600,000.

Thirty-five cases of goods for the Tennessee department of the Centennial have been shipped from Texas.

Business Items.

In spite of your teeth,
Both above and beneath,
Being lightly enamel'ed and thin.
They will never break down,
Nor turn yellow nor brown,
If the SOZODONT'S daily is rubbed in.
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A standard medicine of acknowledged excellence for eradicating Bright's disease, dropsy, kidney, bladder and glandular maladies and uro-genital organs, female weakness, pain in the back and loins, gravel, diabetes, errors in youth or mature age, intemperance, excesses and prostration of the nervous system is *Hunt's Remedy*. It imparts tone and vigor to the human condition when it has become debilitated, and restores the invalid to health and comfort. eodawlw feb22

BANGOR, February 10, 1876.

DR. CARL B. LIGHTHILL.—I take pleasure in stating that your endeavors and treatment for my case of Catarrh and Bronchitis are having a beneficial result. I can now rest well during the night, have a clear head, no catarrhal discharges and can breathe very much improved, so that I do not longer hesitate to advise all those troubled with catarrhal difficulties to seek your advice and aid.

AMOS W. PARKER,
North Carmel, Me.

Dr. Lighthill offers his professional services to those afflicted with diseases of the Eye and Ear and with Catarrh in all its forms. He will remain a short time longer at the Penobscot Exchange, Bangor. feb10 eod&w

POSITIVELY THE BEST. Dr. Morris' Syrup of Tar, Wild Cherry and Hoarhound is the very best compound ever prepared, for the immediate relief and permanent cure of Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, and all diseases of a Consumptive type. It will thoroughly eradicate these alarming symptoms in one-half the time required to do so by any other medicine. It is purely vegetable and contains not a particle of opium or other dangerous drug. Physicians all over the country endorse it as the most efficacious antidote known for all disorders of the throat and lungs. It never fails. Every bottle guaranteed to perform exactly as represented. Be sure to obtain Dr. Morris' Syrup of Tar. Trial size, 10 cents. Sold by Wm. H. Jones and J. F. Patten, Bangor; Portsmouth Bros., Oldtown; R. B. Stover and A. F. Page, Brewer. deow

CORNS removed at 18 Main St., over Boston Button Store. julys tf

Ladies' Jewelry at Pet's, 28 Main St.

CHRONIC SPERMATORRHŒA.

Physician's Report of a Remarkable Case.

GARDINER, N. Y., July 22, 1868.

MR. JAMES I. FELLOWS: Chemist,—Dear Sir: Allow me to bear my testimony in favor of your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites. I have used it myself for Tuberculosis with marked benefit, and have given it to a great number of my patients, with the same results as I experience from its use. During the last seven years I have devoted myself almost exclusively to the treatment of Consumption, having cases under my care in all parts of the Province; so that I am enabled to speak from experience of the benefits derived from its use.

The most marked was a case which was under my care in March last. This was a patient who had been under treatment nine months with no beneficial result. When I first saw him, he was so feeble that he could not sit up long enough to have his heart and lungs examined. What disease he had been treated for did not appear, but I found him suffering under Chronic Spermatorrhœa. He had a severe Cough, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the Heart, Impaired Digestion, and consequent general emaciation. I put him under treatment, prescribed your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, and after using four bottles, he was able to attend to his farm, and is now perfectly well. In March he was given up by four physicians respectively; in May he assisted in ploughing eighteen acres of land, and had run up in flesh from 136 to 148 pounds weight.

I send you this for the purpose of making what use you please of it, and wish you all success in your labor for the benefit of suffering humanity.

Strongly recommending the use of your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites to all who suffer in any way from disease or weakness of the Lungs, Bronchial Tubes, or general debility. Believe me your obedient servant. J. H. W. SCOTT, M. D.
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Miss M. E. Morrison, Norwalk, Conn., says: I was dying of Dyspepsia; given up by physicians, emaciated and worn out with pain and disease. Wine of the Woods cured me. For sale everywhere. Trial bottle 10 cts. d&w1w feb17

Sure relief for all diseases of the skin can be obtained by using Forest Tar Salve. Mr. John Orvis, of Boston, thus writes of a box purchased by him: "I gave it to my wife who is troubled with eczema, which, at this season of the year, is very vexatious, causing the skin on the ends of the thumbs and fingers to crack, giving great pain and inconvenience. She has never found anything which has given the relief that that box of Forest Tar Salve afforded." Get a box of your druggist, or by sending 25 cts. to The Forest Tar Co., Portland, Me. feb18 d&w1w

Every bottle of Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam is warranted to cure all cases of colds, coughs and bronchial or lung difficulties where it is reasonably and faithfully used. Price 25 and 75 cents. feb18 d&w1w

LYON'S KATHAIRON prevents the Hair from falling out or turning gray, renews its growth, and gives strength and vigor. It is delightfully perfumed, and makes a splendid dressing. It is the cheapest and most desirable Hair Tonic ever produced. Used by the elite. Price only 50 cents. apr17 eod&wly

Marine Journal.

DISASTERS.

Brig Mary C Somerli, Call, at Havana Feb 6, from Portland, had encountered bad weather and lost part of deckload.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK. Ar 18th, bark Gazelle, Dentze, Demerara. 21st, brig Anita, Legrow, Cardiff Head.

CHARLESTON. Sld 15th, schr Horizon, McClintock, West Indies.

NEWPORT. Ar 17th, schrs Orient, Sterling, New York for Somerset, Idaho, Jamison, do for Boston.

PHILADELPHIA. Cld 18th, schr Ada F Ames, Ackerson, Cardenas.

LEWES, Del. Ar 18th, schr Pleiad Dix, St Johns, P R.

PORTLAND. Sld 12th, bark Bleuch How, for Liverpool.

FOREIGN PORTS.

At at Bombay, Jan 8, Nellie M Slade, Atwood, Zanzibar.

At at Matanzas, Feb 12, schr Stephen Bennett, Bennett, New York.

Sld from Sagua, Feb 12, schr S J Bickmore, Thompson, for Matanzas.

At at Antwerp, Feb 4, Old Dominion, Nichols, Philadelphia.

BANKRUPT STOCK —OF— TEAS

For sale at less than the cost of importation, at

Tea White's Coffee Store.

We have just received a consignment of a bankrupt stock of Teas from a well known Grocery House in Boston, with orders to close it out as soon as possible, regardless of cost, and they have authorized us to sell

3 Pounds for $1.00.

These Teas are warranted sound. If they do not give satisfaction they can be returned and the money will be refunded.

TEA WHITE.
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DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of Hersey, Smith & Co., is this day dissolved by

...HOU AND I.
...HERE CANT,...

Strange, mixture for thee and me
...oddly ...r,
...hou and I, above,
...the star,
Thou where lovers deathless spring,
...where they fade;
...in Glory's paradise,
...the shade.

Thou where each gale breathes balm,
...lent ...t-scent;
Thou where true joy is found,
...I with ...ful heart.
Thou counting ages shine,
...I not the morrow;
Thou learning more of bliss,
...more of sorrow.

Thou in eternal peace,
...I midst earth's strife,
Thou where my name hath no name,
...where life
Thou without need of hope,
...where the vale,
Thou ...ge dropping light,
...Christ's chain.

Strange ...ge for thee and me,
...Love lasting ever,
Thou ...e deathless found,
...I Jesus's river,
Thou ...e w...ahold's home
...th to trust;
Thou ...the accomplish,
...the dust.

A Suggestion to the Dyspeptic.

But ...people who have, all their lives, eaten, digested and ...well, can scarcely be expected to appreciate the blessing of strong nerves as well as those who, ...ing us for gone all the misery entailed by weak ...es, have eventually regained their nerve power. In order to experience the unspeakable relief, a change from all enfeebled and fearful to ...rous and tranquil condition of the nervous system, ...ld be experienced. Let all who are thus afflicted ...ly test the wonderful curative power of Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters. Under the benign and ...soothing influence of that benign ...ic, appetite returns, digestion is ...ed, and nothing ...ed, painless, and sleep refreshing. ...ll cases of nervous weakness are ...to be found in ...imperfect digestion and assimilation, and the ...ful ...mance of the vital functions ...ld be the ...ult. The Bitters remove these causes, as ...as the nervous symptoms which they produce. d&w ...feb19

CANT DOGS!

THE GENUINE PEAVEY CANT DOGS

(Concentrics) ...d and made to order by the

BANGOR EDGE TOOL CO.,

Washington Street,

Opposite E. & N. A. R. Depot.

J. H. PEAVEY, C. A. HEAVEY.

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NOTICE.

The ...nual meeting of the Mattawamkeag Log Driving Company, will be holden at the counting room of Eaton & Boardman, in Bangor, on MONDAY, February 28th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing officers and ...rporate for the ensuing ...teen months, and ...y such ...s may ...ctual meeting. ...legally coming before ...ting. The Directors ...elected at this meeting will receive ...s for the logs which ...e ...dged to the ...ers ...ake the Aroostook ...ers, ...be rejected by the ...ty ...ceipt. ...ecide to deliver the same to the ...ers ...the appointment of the logs to be ...ivers is absolute ...of the ...ting on the Collector's ...Boom Corporation.

CHAS. D. BRYANT, Clerk.

Bangor, Feb. 8, 1876.

Eaton Family School for Boys,

AT NORTHBRIDGEWORK, MAINE.

(Established 1850).

Offers unequalled ...s to ...ge for a limited ...s of ...ghtful boys for health and ...

For information, address

H. P. EATON, Principal.

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To the Honorable Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court next to be holden at Bangor, within and for the County of Penobscot, on the first Tuesday of January, 1876.

The undersigned, administrator of the estate of William H. Bailey, late of Carroll, in said County, respectfully represents that the goods and ...ls, rights and ...s of said deceased are ...cient to pay his ...s debts and charges of administration.

Wherefore your petitioner prays your Honor to grant him a license to sell at public or private sale, and convey the ...to interest of the said William H. Bailey, situate in said Carroll, and ...ly described as follows, viz: ...ne hundred and ...y-two acres, more or less, being the ...ter part of ...ot No. 13 in said Carroll, and being all ...d ...ed to the ...ate of the said William H. Bailey, by ...ee recorded in ...Book ...Page ...Penobscot Registry of Deeds, ...ther with the ...ower there ...to ...ng said debts, ...ses of sale, and charges of ...nistration.

...said real estate is the same described in a Deed recorded in the ...gistry of Deeds of said County.

JOHN A. LARRABEE.

January 25, 1876

STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Court of Probate, January Term, A. D. 1876.

Upon the foregoing petition, ORDERED, that said petitioner give notice to said ...s, of the pendency of said petition, and ...ing a copy of the ...ner thereof, to be published three weeks ...cessively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in February next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

HANDEL J. PERLEY.

STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Supreme Judicial Court, January Term, 1876.

Daniel J. Perley et al. vs. Persons Unknown.

On the foregoing petition, ordered,—That said petitioner give notice to persons unknown of the pendency of said petition, by publishing an attested copy of said petition and this order of Court thereon, three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in February next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

JOHN E. GODFREY, Judge.

Attest: AMBROSE G. FLINT, Register.

A true copy of the petition and order thereon:

Attest: AMBROSE G. FLINT, Register.

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To the Honorable Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court next to be holden at Bangor within and for the County of Penobscot, on the first Tuesday of January, 1876.

The undersigned, executrix of the last will and testament of Lydia B. Woodman late of Bangor aforesaid, deceased, informs this Hon. Court that she was lawfully married to John Q. A. Woodman at Etna, in said county, on the sixth day of November, 1850.

That she has had by said husband children, six of whom are minors and now living.

That his former wife ...ad libelled ...desertion and abandonment for five years next ...and ...ed, going out of the State to parts unknown to her, and that she has made reasonable diligence to ascertain where he now is, but cannot.

She therefore prays that the bonds of matrimony now existing between them may be dissolved, and the custody of the minor children be given to her.

Dated at Bangor this 30th day of December, A. D. 1875.

LYDIA B. WOODMAN.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Dec. 30, 1875.

Before me personally came the above-named Lydia B. Woodman and made oath to the truth of the foregoing statement, so far as the same affect her statement, that she has been unable, after reasonable diligence, to ascertain the present residence of said libelee.

DANIEL SANBORN, Justice of the Peace.

STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT, ss. Supreme Judicial Court, January Term, 1876.

LYDIA B. WOODMAN vs. JOHN Q. A. WOODMAN.

On the foregoing libel, ordered,—That said libelant give notice to said libelee, of the pendency thereof, by publishing an attested copy of said libel and this order of Court thereon, three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor in said County, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the first Tuesday of April next, that he may then appear, in said Court, to be holden at Bangor in and for said County, and show cause, if any he have why the prayer of said libelant should not be granted.

E. C. BRETT, Clerk.

A true copy of libel and order of court thereon.

Attest: E. C. BRETT, Clerk.

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State of Maine.

PENOBSCOT, ss.

At the Supreme Judicial Court which was begun and holden at Bangor, within and for the County of Penobscot, on the first Tuesday of January, A. D. 1876.

The Consolidated European and North American Railway Company, a corporation existing under the laws of said State of Maine, and having ...ness of ...ness at Bangor, in said County of ...obscot, by ...s ...Plaintiffs, vs. W. A. Lovell of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Defend...ts.

Plea of ...ession, declaration on account rendered, and ...

Writ dated July 5th, 1875. Attachments July 9, 1875, and ...ug 12, 1875, returnable to the October Judicial Court at the October Term thereof, A. D. 1875.

STATE OF MAINE

PENOBSCOT, ss. Supreme Judicial Court, January Term, 1876.

Consolidated E. & N. A. Railway Co. vs. W. A. Lovell.

And now the Court order that the Plaintiff give notice to the said W. A. Lovell, of the pendency of said suit, by publishing an Abstract of the Writ in said action, with the Officer's return thereon, and this order of Court thereon, three weeks successively in the Bangor Weekly Courier, a paper published in Bangor, in said County, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the first Tuesday of April next, that he may then appear, in said Court, to be holden at Bangor in and for said County, and show cause, if any he have why the prayer of said Libelant should not be granted.

E. C. BRETT, Clerk.

A true Abstract of the Writ, Officer's Return, and Order of Court thereon.

Attest: E. C. BRETT, Clerk.

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Annual Statement of the Finances of the County of Penobscot, from January 1, 1875, to January 1, 1876.

COUNTY OF PENOBSCOT,

In account with HORACE J. NICKERSON, Co. Treasurer.

By balance in Treasury last settlement, ...

By uncollected County Tax for report of ...

By ...ceived ...

By received of E. C. Brett, Clerk, for fines ...

By ...ceived ...

By received of H. C. Goodenow, Judge of the ...

By ...ceived ...

By received of Geo W. Whitney, Jailer, for fines and costs collected by him.

By ...ceived ...

By received of Master Human Correction for collections made by him.

By ...ceived ...

By ...ceived ...

By Temporary Loans.

By Costs on Petitions.

By ...ceived ...

By ...ceived ...

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